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PATENT
Customer No. 22,852
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

In re Application of:)
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Jean-Marc ASCIONE *et al.*) Group Art Unit: 1751
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Application No.: 09/881,807) Examiner: E. B. Elhilo
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Filed: June 18, 2001) Confirmation No.: 8671
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For: COMPOSITIONS COMPRISING A)
CATIONIC HOMOPOLYMER AND)
THEIR USE FOR STABILIZATION)
OF AN OXIDIZING SOLUTION)

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

REQUEST FOR ORAL HEARING

Under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 41.47(b), Appellants request an oral hearing. This request is due by November 9, 2005, and is timely. Please charge the required fee of \$1,000.00 to Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

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Respectfully submitted,

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